

NAZIS ON ENGLISH CHANNEL

French Crack Nazis' Channel Salient: Resolve to Hold Paris

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor
ALEX. H. WASHBURN

The Magic Floor Take It Away

As a rainy-day aid for editorial writers—and this, my friends, is a rainy day—I think I will remodel The Star's front office and install a checker-board floor. But this would be a very special floor. Each square in this checker-board floor would be a dissertation on some topic of the day—and roaming the floor on one of these dreary rainy days when the Germans have reached the Channel, the English are holding a pow-wow, and Roosevelt is fixing to make another speech, I would stoop over, pick up a couple of squares, and say to the foreman, "Come and get it."

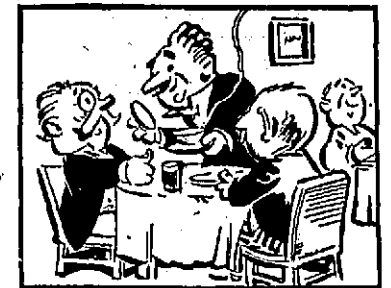
British Like the Italians, at Least Those in London

Italo-British War
Would Wreck Cafe
Business

IN ITALIAN HANDS

London Hotels, Restaurants, Italian-Operated

Dear Mr. Editor: In your town you probably have many people of Italian ancestry and most of them are doubtless naturalized Americans. Here in London it is different. According to the last figures,



there were over 15,000 Italian residents who were not naturalized Britons. If Italy goes into the war against Britain, those 15,000 are going to have a lean time and, by the same token, it may badly upset the catering business.

Most of the big hotels have Italian managers and chefs, Italian head waiters and a goodly number of Italian waiters. Some of the swankiest restaurants in town are run and owned by Italians. In London the Italians completely dominate this business.

The Italians, who have not become naturalized Britons and who expect some day to go back to their homeland, do many things to keep up the ties. They have social clubs in which it would not be comfortable to be anything but Fascist.

War Would Make It Hot for Italians

The recent rumors that Italy may go into the war have created much



discussion and fear in Italian circles in London. The able-bodied men would not be allowed to go back to Italy. If the war feeling got very hot here, the demand might arise not only that Italians be cleared out of their jobs, but also that they be interned.

CRANIUM CRACKERS

Knowledge in General

The following questions should not be difficult. You ought to be able to answer three of them; women ought to get four.

1. What is the difference between a croquette and a fritter?
2. Name the world's greatest shade tree.
3. What is the British word for gasoline?
4. What do you do to taste a roast?
5. If someone gave you cracklings would you eat them or play a game with them?

Answers on Page Two

France's Central Army Attacks to Relieve Northern

Seek to Close Gap
Opened by Nazi Drive
to Coast

M. P. IS ARRESTED

British Hold Parliament Member for Public Safety

BULLETIN
PARIS (AP)—The French army in a slashing counter-attack late Thursday afternoon cracked the German salient that had reached to the English Channel—and French soldiers poured into the suburbs of their first objective, Amiens.

PARIS (AP)—The French armies, effecting what foreign military experts called a "miracle of reorganization," fought Thursday with new fury to reunite the northern and central armies and chop off the long, sharp spearhead which the Germans have driven through northern France to the sea.

Pocketed with its British and Belgian allies, the northern French army, using tanks, planes, motorized units, and artillery, engaged the Germans in a bitter see-saw battle between Cambrai and Valenciennes, 25 miles apart.

Action in England
LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill, in a two-minute war report, told the House of Commons Thursday there was heavy fighting in the English Channel area of Boulogne, Abbeville is in German hands, and the British communications are endangered.

"It is too early yet to say what the result of the coastal fighting may be," he said, "but it evidently carries with it implications of a serious character."

The prime minister said the German mechanized forces which made their way through a breach in the French lines had penetrated into the Allied rear in Belgium "are now attempting to derange our communications."

At the same time, Britain disclosed these developments: Arrest of Captain Archibald H. M. Ramsay, Conservative member of parliament and a roundup of a number of other persons because of the danger of actions "prejudicial to the security of the state."

A statement in the House of Commons by Lord of the Privy Seal Clement Attlee that the governments of Great Britain and Ireland are both "alive to the possibilities" of invasion of Britain through Ireland.

A declaration by Duff Cooper that England is in "fearful danger." He added a pointed reference to the United States, saying "danger is the test of friendship."

Ireland Prepared

DUBLIN (AP)—A warning that Ireland (Eire) will not let anybody come in here" was sounded Thursday in an address by Sean O'Kelly, deputy prime minister.

"We will not let anybody come here and try to take advantage of the disunity of our people to exploit this country for the advantage of some other country," he said.

Many Visit WPA Aide Project Here

Openhouse Week Will Close Saturday Night

On the first day of Open House Week many Hope citizens visited the housekeeping aide project at the old fire station building.

2,600 of 4-H Club Members Attend 3-Day Meet Here

Over 600 Present
Thursday Despite
the Rain

CLOSING SESSION

Experiment Station
Plays Host to 25
Counties

More than 2,600 4-H Club boys and girls from 25 counties attended the 4-H Study Days at the University of Arkansas, Fruit & Truck Branch Experiment Station on May 21, 22 and ending Thursday, May 23, under the leadership of their county and home extension agents.

Garland County led in total attendance with 352, Clark County in second place with 299, and Miller County ranked third with 268.

There were 600 present Thursday despite the rain.

The young visitors were given an opportunity to visit the farm in the morning and see demonstrations on pastures, soil erosion, timber land, vegetable crops, field crop varieties, and orchard management.

Those assisting included Paul Caruth, Extension Dairyman; Buford Poe and Dan Dennington of the Soil Conservation Service; Fred J. Shulley, Extension Forester; C. A. Vines, Assistant Extension Agronomist; and Joe R. Cox and Charles R. Pinckley, technical assistant of the Fruit & Truck Branch Experiment Station.

Each day at noon talent auditions were given by Miss June Donahue, County Activities Specialist; explanation of the station program by George W. Ware, Assistant Director in Charge of the station, and a lecture on electrical appliances by Mrs. Ida A. Fenton, Extension economist in Home Management.

The afternoon program including a tour over the station campus embraced demonstrations in propagation, livestock management, weather recording, landscaping, and home improvement.

W. J. Jernigan, State Club Agent; Miss Ella Posey, District Home Demonstration Agent, and J. P. Rains, District Agent, who were directing the program, stated that this was one of the most successful series of meetings ever held in the state.

Lindbergh Played by Senator Byrnes

South Carolinian
resents Criticism of
Roosevelt

WASHINGTON (AP)—Striking back at Col. Charles A. Lindbergh for his criticism of Roosevelt administration foreign policy, Senator Byrnes (Dem. S. C.) asserted Wednesday night Lindbergh was "no more qualified" to speak on the subject than "Wrong Way" Corrigan or any other aviator who may fly the "fantastic ocean."

He said "fifth columns already are active in America" and "those who consciously or unconsciously retard the efforts of this government to provide for the defense of the American people are the fifth column's most effective fellow travelers."

Byrnes' radio address was considered the administration reply to the speech in which Lindbergh called Sunday for an end to "hysterical chatter of calamity and invasion," decried "meddling in Europe" and urged a "definite policy" of defense.

Byrnes said President Roosevelt had a "definite policy of defense already formulated" and had disclosed it "time and again."

The senator said "Mr. Lindbergh" (nowhere in the manuscript of the speech did the title "colonel" appear) had accepted a decoration from Hitler. He inquired:

"When Mr. Lindbergh says, 'No one wishes to attack us,' is he authorized to speak for Hitler or Goering? Can the American people, in the light of recent history, accept the assurance of this young gentleman that if we do not ask for war it will not come to us?"

Byrnes, chairman of the senate naval appropriations subcommittee, took issue with Lindbergh's statement that foreign air forces do not have bombing planes capable of crossing the ocean and returning. He criticized the fier's views on policy.

"When Mr. Lindbergh says that 'Regardless of which side wins this war, there is no reason, aside from our own actions, to prevent a continuation of peaceful relationships be-

Sidewalks in Hope's Downtown District Are Extended to Curb as Property-WPA Project



—Hope Star Photo

Roosevelt Is to Speak on Sunday

Will Report on Govern-
ment Policies at
8:30 p. m.

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt will discuss defense conditions and needs in a "fireside chat" broadcast to the country Sunday night.

In announcing Roosevelt's decision to make an address at 8:30 p. m. (Hope time), Stephen Early, presidential secretary, told newsmen it would be "a straight forward, factual report from the government to the people."

Two More Fined on Liquor Charge

Three Negroes are
'Given One Year in
Boys Farm'

J. T. Thomas, Junior Frieson and Allen Stewart were found guilty of grand larceny in circuit court Thursday and sentenced to one year in the negro boys industrial farm. These negroes stole some copper and other metals from the P. A. Lewis Motor company.

Monk Walton, charged with reckless driving, was dismissed on motion of the prosecuting attorney.

In the appeal case of Floyd Straughter, charged with selling liquor on Sunday, the court upheld a \$100 penalty of the lower court ruling.

Buddy Finn was found guilty of possessing untaxed liquor and was fined \$250 with \$200 being stayed on good behavior.

The jury acquitted Ike Hamilton of an assault and battery charge.

The case of Jean Vick vs. Richards-Lightman Theater Corp. (Saenger Theater) began with the afternoon court session.

Russian military experts have determined, from the wars in China and Spain, that to bomb a railway station requires an average of 15 tons of bombs, while 10 to 15 twin-engined bombers, each carrying between 120 and 200 pounds of bombs, can sink a ship.



—Hope Star Photo

A WPA proposal to construct new sidewalks or extensions thereof at a cost to the property owners of only 9½ cents per square foot (four inches thick) is finding ready acceptance this week in the downtown district, where owners of business property are having their sidewalks extended flush to the curb.

J. R. Henry was the first property owner to accept the proposal, improving his sidewalk and curb for the buildings at the southeast intersection of Second and Walnut streets.

TOP PHOTO — The second acceptance was from Hope Star, and the top photograph shows work under way in front of the newspaper's building at 212-14 South Walnut. Joe Olmstead, WPA foreman, is in the middle foreground pointing to the forms for concrete. In the near foreground is the original open space between sidewalk and curb, with grass growing. . . . Filling in this space with concrete will improve drainage and prevent rainwater from undermining the street paving.

The third acceptance was from Tom Carrel, owner of Shipley studio, the Brass Rail and the Mills store buildings just south of The Star.

BOTTOM PHOTO — Improving the sidewalk and curb made necessary a new high mount for the City of Hope's White Way lamp-posts — and here Herbert Lewallen, the city's head lineman, shows the new placement for the posts.

How Rainbows Are Caused

Rainbows never occur at mid-day, only in the morning or afternoon. The sun must be rather low in order to set the stage for this phenomenon. Sunlight enters the falling raindrops, is reflected, then totally deflected, and each refraction separates its spectral colors.

Amnesty by royal decree freed 9,754 convicts from Italian prisons on the birth of a daughter to Crown Prince Umberto.

A Thought

Punishment is justice for the unjust.—Augustine.

Germans Prepare for Invasion of England Herself

½ Million Allied
Soldiers Believed
Surrounded

STRIKE SHIPPING

Planes, Power - Boats
Dart at Channel
Shipping

By LOUIS LOCHNER
WITH THE GERMAN
ARMIES (AP)—I have reached the English Channel Thursday to find the German forces here with the Nazi swastika flying.

It seems almost unbelievable that I should find Germany on this channel.

But the swastika waving from the local commander's headquarters leaves no doubt about it.

(Lochner did not specify the point at which he reached the Channel, but apparently it was some place in Belgium.)

Plan English Invasion

BERLIN (AP)—Germany's drive to divide and destroy the Allied armies in the West produced new evidence Thursday of an imminent assault on England herself.

Hitler's forces, diving, submerging, and darting speedboats, collaborated in a smash at Channel communications to provide the most visible signs of an offensive.

German land forces crashed southward across the Scheldt river in a relentless closing of a vise of men and machines on more than half a million Allied soldiers, cut off from the main French forces to the south.

The Nazi air force reported it had heavily bombed the Channel ports of Dover and Dunkerque, severely damaged three transports, and one tanker was destroyed in the Channel.

On the Channel

BERLIN (AP)—Authorized German sources, although declining to affirm or deny reports that the German armies had taken Boulogne, the French seaport on the English Channel, added "it is quite probable."

Italy Threatening

ROME (AP)—Premier Mussolini was reported by a usually reliable source to have summoned a meeting of his supreme defense council Thursday while the official news agency, Stefani, reported from French North Africa that the "situation is tense."

Germans Cautious

BERLIN (AP)—Groping for the narrow straits of Dover, short-cut to England, the German armies of Flanders Wednesday night poured men and guns into the battle zone they have entered, wary of counter-attack and preparing for "the kill."

In hardening its hold on Belgium and northern France and the "sack" in which it is trying to trap 1,000,000 Allied troops, the German army also is being bolstered against counter-attack by General Weyand.

The Germans look for a heavy assault from the south, and it appeared to be starting tonight when a French tank thrust was made in the vicinity of Laon. The Germans said it was beaten off, that 10 French tanks were set afire and 24 surrendered.

At several points further north, too, Allied forces, which the Germans consider trapped, put up stiff battle.

"It may be that our present movements will come to a temporary halt," said General von Reichenau, high commander in the field. "Weyand has ordered every one to stand his ground. That may mean hard fights ahead."

"Battle of Cannae"

Hence today the German army's major task was to crush whatever French, British and Belgian divisions are in the "sack" of the German advance in Flanders and Picardy, to smash all attempts to break out of the circle, to create chaos amidst reinforcements.

Germans saw in the picture another Cannae, where Hannibal jam-

(Continued on Page Five)

COTTON

NEW YORK (AP)—October cotton opened at 8.76, closed at 8.62. Middling spot 9.92.

Hope Star

Published every week-day afternoon by the Hope Star Publishing Co., Inc., at the Star building, 212-214 South Walnut street, Hope, Ark.

C. E. PALMER, President
LEON H. WATKINS, Editor and Publisher
NEA—Member Newspaper Enterprise Ass'n.

Subscription Rates: (Always Payable in Advance) By city carrier, per week 15c; by mail, per month \$4.50; by mail, in foreign countries, \$9.50 per year; elsewhere \$6.50.

Member of The Associated Press: The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for republication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and also the local news published here.

Changes on Tributes: Etc. Changes will be made for the tributes to the dead, concerning the reported commercial newspapers held to the policy of the tributes to the dead, to protect their readers from a deluge of space-taking memorials. The Star disclaims responsibility for the tributes to the dead or return to any unsolicited memorials.

Ottawa, Seat of Empire?

The world has seen, during the past two years, many strange and scarcely believable things. It is of little use to look at the whirling events of today with the eyes of the past. It is hard enough to comprehend the present.

New alignments are in the making. No matter which side wins the colossal super-war now shaking Europe, can anyone believe that the world which will emerge will be like that of 1919, that of 1929, or even that of 1939. Most certainly it will not. What it will be like, we do not know. We only know it will be vastly different.

Holland's Queen rules her colonial empire now from London, and Netherlands corporations are rushing to transfer their main offices to Batavia, Java. Much of the Dutch fleet has already gone there. Are not some of these changes permanent, no matter what the outcome of the war? Do they not suggest other possibilities?

Suppose that establishment of German bombing bases on the channel makes London besieged city, in danger even of invasion and occupation. Prime Minister Churchill himself has said that once the situation in France is stabilized, the United Kingdom may expect concentrated air attacks from the new Nazi bases only 100 miles distant. Is it not reasonable to suppose that administration of the British Empire might then largely transfer to Canada? George VI is king in Ottawa exactly as he is king in London. Not a legal question would be decided by a royal decision to govern the empire from Ottawa during the emergency. If the British navy should prove at length to be no match for the Nazi bombers, it might well accompany him, to remain a bulwark of the far-flung empire though no longer effective in protecting the British Isles.

Such a suggestion implies no defeatism. It might well be the best way to win a long-drawn-out war. It might be the best way to face post-war reorganization.

Such a change in administration of the empire as a whole would not directly affect the British military effort in Europe. In fact, it might even facilitate it by freeing the government machinery from details of empire administration, leaving the way clear for single-minded military effort.

It is a speculation, but it is the sort of speculation to which we might as well get accustomed.

Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce the following as candidates subject to the action of the Hempstead County Democratic primary election, Tuesday August 13th:

For Congress

OREN HARRIS
For County Judge
FRED A. LUCK
JOHN L. WILSON
LUTHER F. HIGGASON

For County Treasurer
NEWT PENTECOST
MRS. GLADINE B. MORRIS
CHARLES F. REYNOLDS

For Circuit Clerk
CECIL WEAVER
J. P. (Pinkey) BYERS
ELMER BROWN

For Representative
No. 1
TALBOT FEILD, JR.
No. 2
JIM BEARDEN

TWENTY YEARS AGO

From the Columns of The Star of Hope

Thursday, May 23, 1920

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stone of Hope have been visiting in Gordon and Little Rock this week-end.

Misses Loren Wolf and Evelyn Bailey of Washington are the weekend guests of Miss Lawrence Lewis.

Mrs. R. L. Blakely of Little Rock arrived today for a visit with her mother Mrs. Ludie Singleton at her home on South main street.

Sydney Parker and Whitfield Davis have returned to their home in Prescott after a visit with their aunt, Mrs. John P. Cox of this city.

Mrs. Cliff Holland of Ruston, La., has arrived for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Charles S. Wingfield at her home on south main street.

Answer to Cranium Cracker

Questions on Page One

1. A croquette is meat or vegetable or egg, or cheese held together with thick sauce. Fritter is fruit, vegetable, meat or fish, covered with batter.
2. The banyan tree in India.
3. Petrol.
4. Four over liquid to keep the roast from burning during baking.

There are the golden-brown remains of salt pork after the fat has been extracted.

BARBS

Dutchmen are officially cautioned not to show any sign of curiosity about the occupation forces. In these days finding a Nazi in the front yard is no longer a surprise, but is just taken for granted.

There are those among us who remember the war in Norway. To those just coming in, the plot is the

CLASSIFIED

"THE MORE YOU TELL THE QUICKER YOU SELL"

You can talk to only one man
Want Ads talk to Thousands
SELL, RENT, BUY OR SWAP

All Want Ads cash in advance. Not taken over the Phone

One time—2c word, minimum 30c
Six times—5c word, minimum 75c
Three times—3 1/2 word, minimum 50c
One month—18c word, minimum \$2.70
Rates are for continuous insertions only

For Sale

CERTIFIED WATCH
REPAIRING
Stewart's Jewelry Store
First National Bank Building
A23-28t

STATE CERTIFIED POTATO
Potato plants. Have plenty of all varieties. Seed corn in stock as well as Willits' Watson Melon Seed. Mont's Seed Store. A23-28t

BABY CHICKS—ANY BREED
Locally hatched. McRae Mill & Feed Co. 26-28tp

LOUISIANA CANE SYRUP, SPECIAL
price, 25c gallon. McRae Mill & Feed Co. 26-28tp

DRESS AND HAT CABINETS, window fixtures, display racks, safes, awnings, blinds, mirrors, Part or all. Stuart Dress Shop. 16-6tc

PRACTICALLY NEW ELECTRIC
range at half price. Guaranteed good condition. Whitten & York Furniture Co. 109-111 W. Division. Phone 945. 17-6tc

U. S. APPROVED BABY CHICKS.
\$5.35 up. See us before you buy. Feeders Supply Co. 20-6tc

NEW AND USED ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS. Several good ice boxes. Automotive supply Co. 112 South Main. 70-3tc

TWO GOOD MOWERS, ONE SAME
as new. Two good rakes, 10 and 12 feet wide. Will sell cheap. R. M. Briant. 23-3tp

FURNITURE—NEW AND USED, exceptionally low prices. See us before you buy or sell. Franklin Furniture shop. South Elm Street. M2-1M.

Services Offered
HAVE YOU PROPERTY WHICH
may cause you a financial loss should you lose it by fire or wind-storm? We can stand between you and that loss. Roy Anderson & Co. 17-6tc

Salesman Wanted
GOOD OPENING IN HOPE. Full time route selling Rawleigh House Hold Products. Start at once. Should have car. Get more particulars. Write at once. Rawleigh's Dept. AKE 118-208 Memphis, Tenn. 21-3tp

Legal Notice
NOTICE OF FILING OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR PERMIT
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed with the Commissioner of Revenues of the State of Arkansas for permit to sell and dispense vinous or spirituous liquors for beverage at retail on the premises described as Jett Williams Liquor Store 108 S. Walnut St., Hope, Ark. Application is for permit to be issued for operation beginning on the first day of July, 1940 and to expire on the 30th day of June, 1941, as prescribed by Bulletin dated January 7, 1938 and Supplemental Regulation No. 19 effective July 10, 1937. Jett Williams.

NOTICE OF FILING OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR PERMIT
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed with the Commissioner of Revenues of the State of Arkansas for permit to sell and dispense vinous or spirituous liquors for beverage at retail on the premises described as Porterfield Liquor Store, 108 East Second street, Hope, Arkansas. Application is for permit to be issued for operation beginning on the first day of July, 1940 and to expire on the 30th day of June, 1941 as prescribed by Bulletin dated January 7, 1938 and Supplemental Regulation No. 19 effective July 10, 1937. J. C. Porterfield & Son

same, only the locale being changed. Secretary Edison compares this defense business to a poker game. That flush, then, will not be in a high hand, but on Uncle Sam's face as he is told his army and navy are a bit under par.

The Coast Guard finds no icebergs in the Atlantic this season, leaving it to be assumed they have fallen prey to U-boats.

Add war atrocities: Nazis in Holland order all carrier pigeons killed, presumably to make pot pie for hungry troops just in from the blitzkrieg.

Utah Cave Reopened
SALT LAKE CITY—(AP)—Minnesota Cave, near St. Charles, Utah, will be reopened to the public this fall, with new trails and lighting installed by the national park service. Discovered 30 years ago, the great cavern was closed about 1930 when vandalism threatened to destroy its beauties.

Most of the transport companies in the United States keep de-icing units on their planes all year. It is not unusual for pilots to encounter steel in the middle of the summer at altitudes of 13,000 feet or higher.

A henchman describes Hitler as the greatest of all great men. And like the rest, the fuhrer will probably wind up as a bust.

Services Offered

EYES EXAMINED GLASSES FITTED
Skeffington method. Approved American Optical Ass'n. Dr. R. H. Hannan, 116 1/2 S. Elm. 20-6tc

FOR BARGAINS IN TIRES AND BATTERIES, come to Ted's Tire and Battery Shop, 3rd and Walnut. 16-8tp

GUARANTEED BODY AND FENDER work. Special prices on guaranteed paint jobs. Luck Motor Co. South Walnut street. M1-1mc

GENERAL AUTO REPAIR. USED tires and Tubes. East Texas Motor Freight. Willis Gulf Service. Phone 50 20-18tp

For Rent

TWO ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT to couple. Private entrance. Convenient to bath. Electric refrigerator. 314 South Shover. 21-8tp

6 ROOM HOUSE, FURNISHED OR unfurnished. 406 South Spruce street. 3 room apartment, unfurnished, Magnolia addition. Mrs. J. E. Schooley. Phone 38-P-1-1. 17-6tc

Wanted

OPPORTUNITY TO DEMONSTRATE our services in looking after the protection of your insurance property. Roy Anderson & Co. Phone 810. 17-6tc

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR MEN and boys shirts. Patterson's Cash Store. East 2nd street. 21-6tc

WANTED TO BUY, SMALL CASH register. Ward 2 Grocery. Phone 194. 21-3tp

Real Estate For Sale
MODERN HOME, 515 SOUTH WALNUT street, 5 rooms and bath, tool house and garage. Good condition. Lot 65x142. Cash or terms. E. P. Hamilton, Russellville, Ark. P. O. Box 345. 22-0tp

THREE GREAT BARGAINS—34 acres near courthouse, fine for sub-division, price \$2,000; 32 lots, half block from Paisley School, price \$1,200; 1800 acres south of Shepherd, fine land, price \$6,000. R. O. Bridwell, agent. 23-3tp

MIND YOUR MANNERS

T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers

1. Should a young boy take off his hat when he steps to speak to a lady?
2. How should a man lift his hat when he is wearing a soft brimmed one?

3. When a woman enters a man's office on business should he offer her a chair?
4. When she rises to leave, must he also stand?
5. Should he walk to the door with her?
- What Would you do if—
You are a man who has just stepped off an elevator and are walking down a corridor—
(a) Put on your hat?
(b) Feel you must continue to hold your hat until you are outside the building?

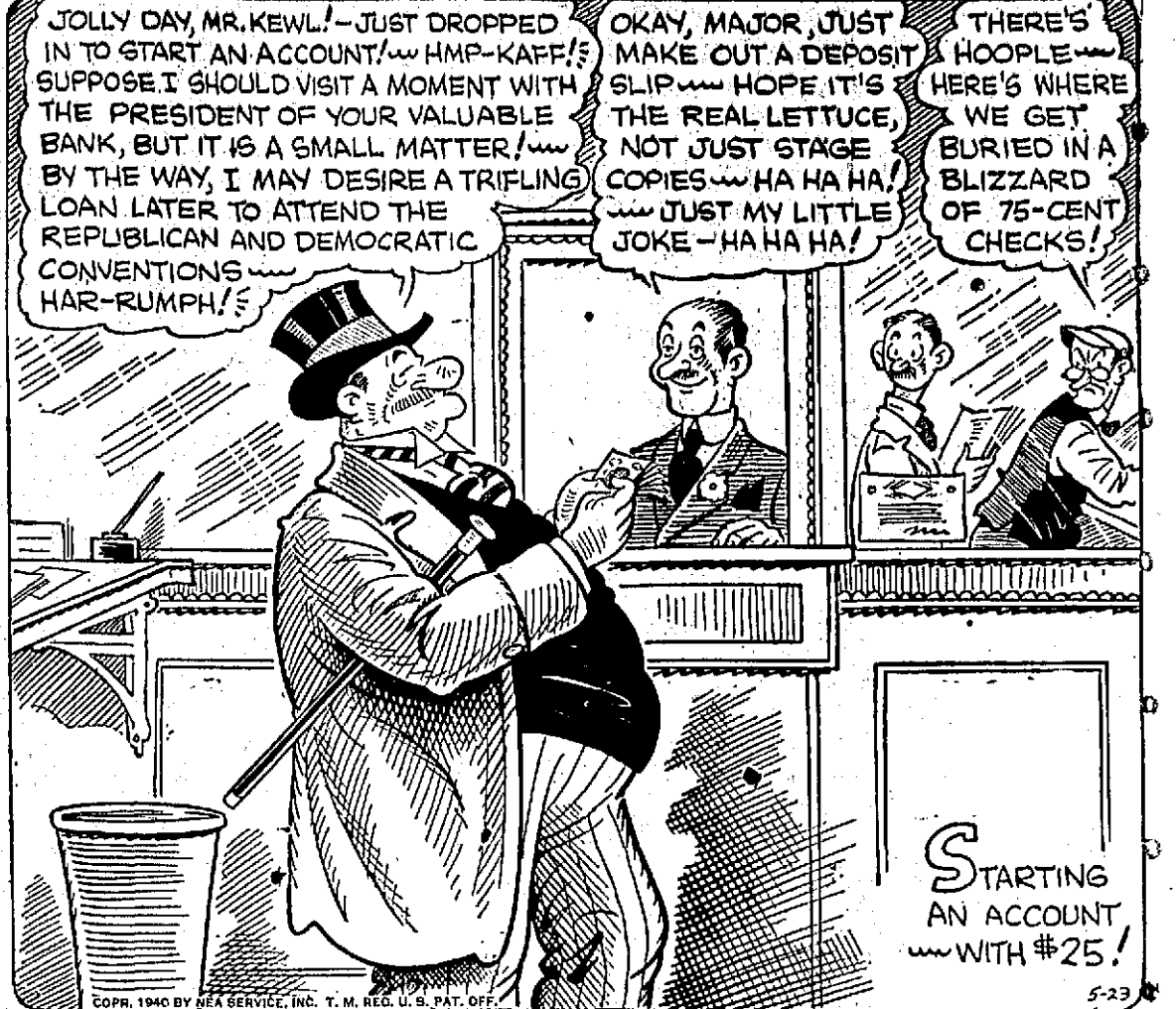
Answers

1. Yes.
2. By the crown.
3. Yes.
4. Yes.
5. Yes. So that he may hold it open for her.
- Best "What Would You Do" solution—(a).

In high altitudes snow frequently turns red and gives off an odor similar to ripe watermelon when crushed underfoot. This is due to a growth of vegetable life, algae spirillum, on snow at altitudes of 12,000 feet or more.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

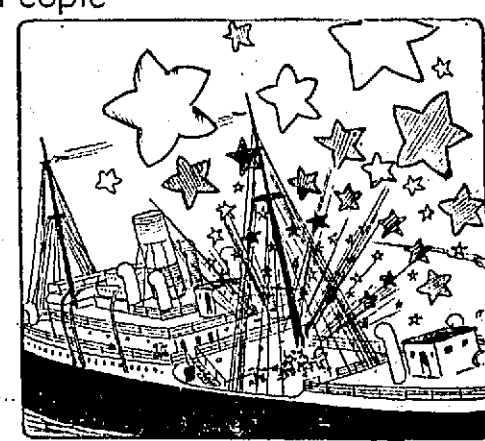
with . . . Major Hoople



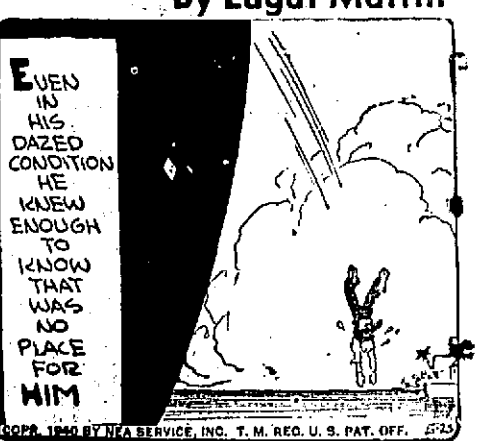
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



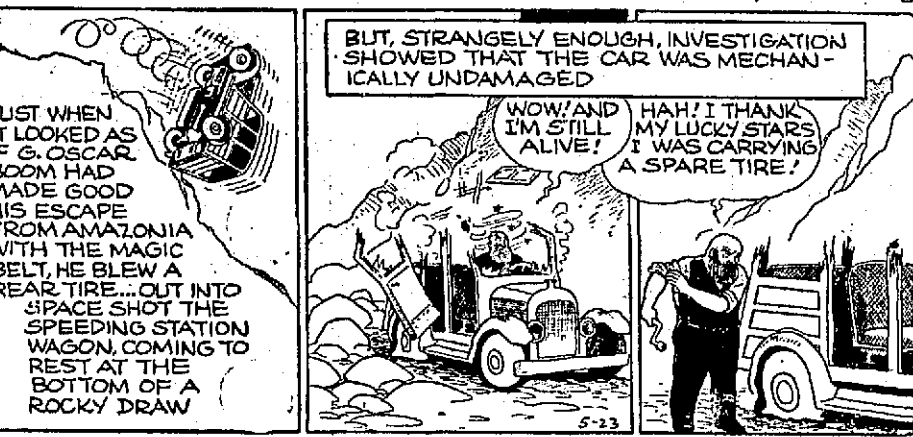
Lovely People



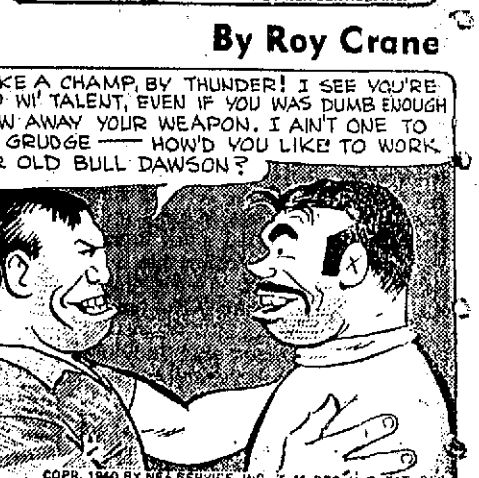
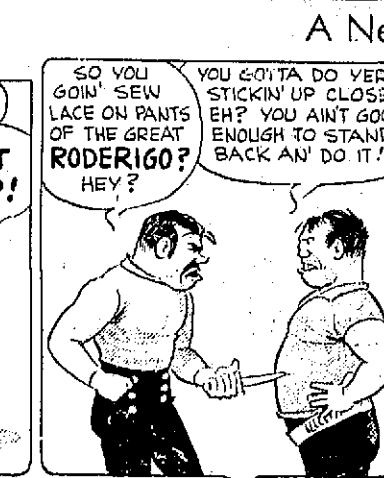
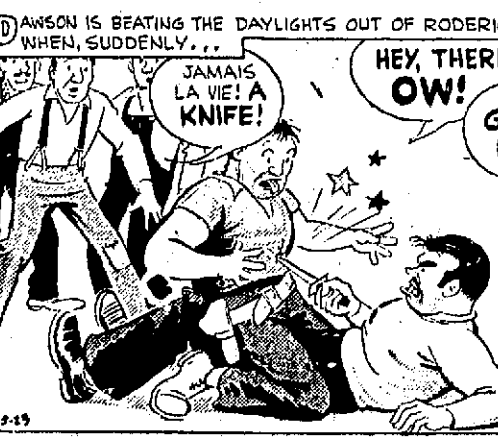
By Edgar Martin



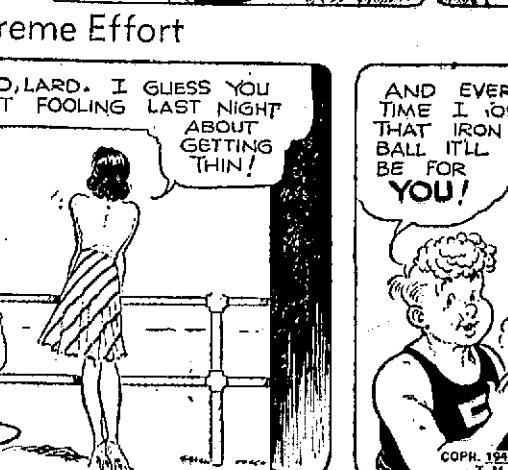
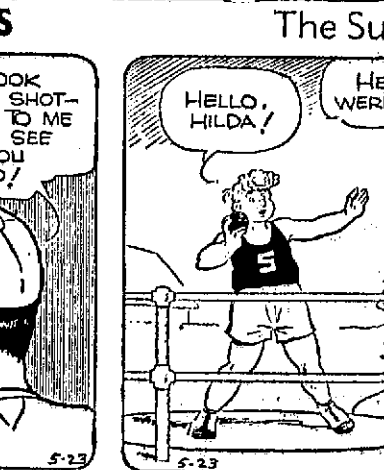
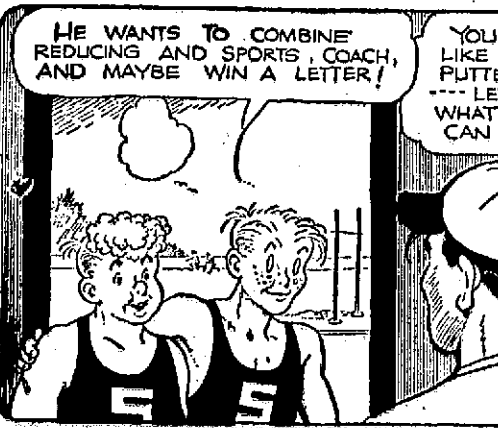
Oop Is Going to Have to Prove It



WASH TUBBS



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

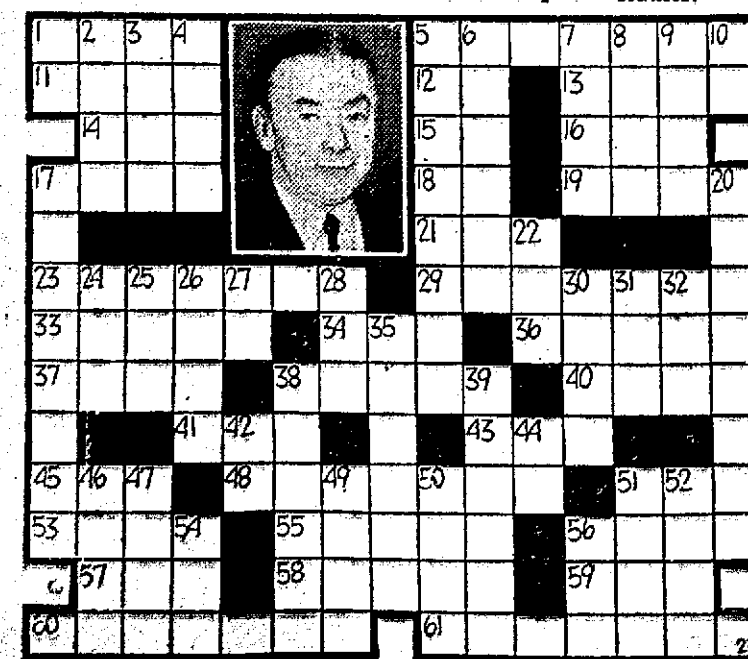


RED RYDER



LEADER IN FRANCE

- HORIZONTAL
- 1, 5 Pictured French statesman.
 - 12 Half an em.
 - 13 Hence.
 - 14 Citizen.
 - 15 Go on (music).
 - 16 Sesame.
 - 17 To improve.
 - 18 Standard type measure.
 - 19 Remarks.
 - 21 Corded fabric.
 - 23 Battles.
 - 26 Pump.
 - 33 Antipathy.
 - 34 To employ.
 - 36 Hand covering.
 - 37 Veterans.
 - 38 Grazes.
 - 40 Opposed to closed.
 - 41 Definite article.
 - 43 To chew.
 - 44 Hair pad.
 - 45 Clover plants.
- Answer to Previous Puzzle
- increase the — or power of the government.
- 22 Hog.
- 24 Poem.
- 25 Mitten.
- 26 Piece of sculpture.
- 27 Form of "be."
- 28 To woo.
- 30 Scheme.
- 31 Carbonated drink.
- 32 Adam's mate.
- 33 Stitching.
- 38 Pertaining to bile.
- 42 Sowing device.
- 43 Laughter sound.
- 44 Like.
- 46 Pertaining to air.
- 47 Twofold.
- 49 Mathematical term.
- 50 Ashes of seaweed.
- 51 Astringent pod.
- 52 Molding.
- 54 Health resort was started.
- 56 To soften leather.
- VERTICAL
- 1 Papa.
 - 2 Altar chest.
 - 3 One.
 - 4 Tardy.
 - 5 Turned backward.
 - 6 Glossy paint.
 - 7 Fishing bags.
 - 8 Melody.
 - 9 Repulsive.
 - 10 To suffice.
 - 17 Under his guidance a 3-year plan for economic — was started.
 - 20 He has helped



B & B GROCERY & MARKET
Free Delivery Phone 971

CORN No. 2 can 3 FOR 25c

TOMATOES No. 2 Cons. 4 FOR 25c

SUGAR Pure Cane Paper Bag 10 Lbs. 46c

SOAP LARGE BARS 7 for 25c

PINK SALMON Tall Can 15c

HELITROPE FLOUR 24 Lb. Sack 85c

Bananas Pound 5c

Black Eyed PEAS Lb. 6c

Fresh Tomatoes Lb. 15c

Carrots 3 Bchs. 10c

WEINERS or FRANKS Lb. 17c

Assorted LUNCH MEATS Lb. 19c

CHILI BRICK Lb. 17c

PORK CHOPS 2 Lb. 35c

Fancy Dressed HENS and FRYERS

WEEK-END SPECIALS
Call Us for Cold Produce

Variety Is Needed in the Kitchen

Families Sometimes Suffer From Food Boredom

By MRS. ALEXANDER GEORGE
AP Feature Service Writer

If your family suffering from bread boredom?

We don't mean to get personal; that seems a fair question these days. Bread so often is taken for granted at mealtime—and there are so many new varieties available on the modern grocery counter that it's worth a little thought. In the "ready-made" line there is cracked wheat, bread, bran bread, date-nut bread, raisin-cinnamon bread—and that's just a starter.

If you make your own bread you don't have to stop with a plain loaf. Riny in loves with suya tops and spicy fillings or with crunchy coatings. Experiment with new blends, too. It's fun, and the family will appreciate it.

Revamp your plain biscuits, the next time that you make them. Try a gay topping of brown sugar, coconut and nuts. Lightly coat the tops of the biscuits with egg and milk just before you put them into the oven. Or pat the dough a half inch thick and then spread equal parts of soft butter and peanut butter over it, generously. Roll the dough, cut off half-inch slices and bake, flat sides up, in a greased, shallow pan for 12 minutes in a moderate oven. These make good regular "breaders" or they are party fare when accompanying fruit salad.

Biscuits become coffee bread when made like this: Pat out an inch layer of rich biscuit dough in a greased pan. Cover with raisins mixed with chopped fruit peel, brown sugar, butter and cinnamon. Bake 20 minutes in a moderate oven. Cut in squares and serve fresh with butter.

Cheese gipes muffins a new flavor.

LUZIANNE COFFEE
100% Good

2 Large CANNON BATH TOWELS 70c

1 Can LUZIANNE COFFEE 25c

VALUE 95c

FRI. - SAT. 54c

ALL FOR YOU SAVE 41c

PURINA CHOWS GRO.

FEEDEE'S SUPPLY CO.
Phone 25

Germans Prepare
(Continued from Page One)

made the Romans into a center of encirclement so tightly that they could not even use their weapons in defense. The Nazis did the same thing in Poland—and took 170,000 prisoners of the main Polish army.

Above and around the sack, the German air force performed its correlated work of death today, from the Channel ports almost to Paris.

North and South

Two forces of the German army struck northwest toward the French coast of Boulogne, on the shoulder of the English channel, on a line from St. Pol to Montreuil, and, again, southward toward Paris.

The channel at its narrowest point, in the Dover straits, is only 22 miles wide. On the other side are the chalk cliffs of England and there, the German press dinner today, the death knell of Britain and her empire will be rung.

Germans said the arm of their army which has struck toward Boulogne, brushing past Abbeville, is 30 miles thick.

On the south the German blitz columns moved around or through Solissons, World war battleground some 56 miles north of Paris. Ahead went the bombers, leaving in flames the railway stations at Compeigne and Creil, 40 and 25 miles from the French capital. On the northwest, the Germans bombed Boulogne, Dieppe, Dunkerque, Ostend—to prevent the British army's escape toward home by sea.

When the muffins are in their pans, ready for baking, sprinkle grated cheese over the dough. If you prefer a sweet touch, use coconut, or brown sugar and cinnamon, or honey mixed with shredded nutmeats.

Waffle shortcake puts bread right up in the dessert class. Bake waffles and while they're hot, spread hard sauce and crushed berries over them. Stack quickly and cut into wedges. They are grand with hot coffee.

These Cracked Wheat Muffins are good, hot or cold. Mix 1 1/2 cups flour, 1/2 cup cracked wheat, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup granulated sugar, 1 egg, 4 tablespoons fat, melted, and a cup of milk. Half-fill greased muffin pans and bake 15 minutes in a moderately hot oven—about 400 degrees.

Date Nut Bread is delicious for picnics or supper serving. Include some with the weekly baking—it will come in very handy. Mix 2 cups chopped dates 2 eggs, 1 2-3 cups boiling water and 2 teaspoons of soda. Beat well and pour into 2 cups Graham flour, 2 cups flour, 1 teaspoon of salt and 2 teaspoons of baking powder. Add 1 cup dark brown sugar, 2-3 cup nuts, 1 teaspoon of vanilla, 3 tablespoons fat, melted, and 1/2 cup buttermilk (sour milk will do). Pour the thick batter into 2 loaf pans lined with waxed paper. Let stand 10 minutes and then bake for an hour in a moderate oven—about 250 degrees.

E. S. Alexander Is Bowling Champion

Bill Wray Takes Second, and Clyde Coffee Third

E. S. Alexander, member of the Kraft Cheese Bowling club, won first place in the championship contest at Fair park Wednesday night, with a score of 194.

Bill Wray, Hempstead County Lumber Company team member, took second place with a score of 184, and Clyde Coffee, of the Geo. W. Robinson team, placed third with 178.

There was a large number of entrants and the contest was enjoyed by all.

British Like
(Continued from Page One)

It is only fair to add that the British have no feeling against the men from sunny Italy. But war may change that.

Britain Puzzles Frenchmen

You may sometimes wonder how allies as different in language, literature, laws, ways of living and traditions as the British and French get along. Well, my information is that the premiers and the members of the Supreme War Council and the poilus and the Tommies are all on fine terms.

But the average Frenchman, who comes to London on business, gets a number of shocks.

France is a conscription country. Every youth at a certain age has to serve in the army. Then for some years later he has to undergo short refresher courses. The result is when France is involved in a war she automatically has a big fine army.

Britain only puts in conscription when involved in a big war. The result is that it takes time to build up an army. So the Frenchman is amazed to see young men idling in the parks, standing in queues for the movies, setting for tennis or golf.

His amazement grows when he reads there are still a million unemployed in Britain.

So the Frenchman goes back to his own country a sorely puzzled man. He has faith in the dash of the British navy. He has confidence in the prowess of the Royal Air Force. But he wonders whether the British people, as a whole, have awakened to the fact that this is a fight for the life of their nation—a fight to the death with a pitiless and wonderfully prepared foe.

Best regards,
MILTON BRONNER
NEA European Correspondent

Lindbergh Flayed
(Continued from Page One)

tween America and the countries of Europe," Byrnes said, "I shudder to think of the kind of America Mr. Lindbergh is willing to accept."

DEPENDABLE

You Can Depend on Kroger's For Higher Quality - Lower Prices - Greater Savings for Everybody

VAN CAMP MACKEREL No. 1 10c

COUNTRY CLUB BRAN FLAKES ONLY 9c

COUNTRY CLUB PEACHES Halves or Sliced No. 2 1/2 Can 15c

STANDARD TOMATOES 4 FOR 23c

KROGER BEVERAGES 4 FOR 25c Plus Bottle Deposit

1 Lb. Can FRUIT COCKTAIL 10c

WESCO ICE TEA 1/2 Lb. Pkg. 25c

Palolive 2 for 11c

Guest Ivory . . . 4c

LAVA . 2 for 11c

ALURE . 3 for 10c

PRODUCE

Carrots 3 Bchs. For 10c

FRESH Corn 5 Ears For 15c

WHITE Squash Lb. 7 1/2c

FRESH Tomatoes Lb. 15c

GREEN Beans 3 Lbs. 19c

NEW GREEN Cabbage Lb. 2 1/2c

SUGAR 10 Pounds PURE CANE 45c

Flour AVONDALE Every Sack Guaranteed 48 Lbs. \$1.23

Crackers WESCO 2 Lb. Box 13c

Coffee KROGER'S SPOTLIGHT Hope's Fastest Selling Coffee 3 Lb. Bag 37c

CRISCO 1 Lb. 18c 3 LBS. 45c

LIPTON TEA GLASS 1/4 Lb. 21c FREE 1/2 Lb. 41c

OLD DUTCH CLEANSER 3 For 19c

PEN RAD MOTOR OIL 2 Gal. \$1.29

CLAPPS Chopped Foods . . . 10c

CLAPPS Strained Foods . . . 7c

HERSHEY'S COCOA 1 Lb. 11c

COUNTRY CLUB RICE or WHEAT PUFFS Pkg. 4c

Picnics Tendered Shankless While they Last Lb. 13c

VEAL Rolled ROAST lb. 25c CHOPS lb. 15c PATTIES Ea. 5c

ASSORTED LUNCH MEAT Lb. 19c

PIMENTO CHEESE SPREAD Lb. 29c

BAKED HAM SPREAD Lb. 39c

COTTAGE CHEESE — Fresh Lb. 12 1/2c

PORK CHOPS FRESH MEATY 12 1/2c Lb.

ROUND STEAK FANCY BEEF 25c Lb.

Roast PICNIC STYLE PORK SHOULDER Pound 10c

KROGER

ACCEPT THIS AMAZING GUARANTEE
BUY any Kroger Item, LIKE is as well as better. OR return unused portion in original container and we will replace it FREE with any other brand we sell of the same item, regardless of price.

CECIL W. DENNIS
Grocery Manager

K. J. CAPLINGER
Market Manager

Hope Grocery Company

Sliced CANADIAN BACON Lb. 25c

FRANK'S ANGEL FOOD ICE CREAM Pt. 8c Qt. 15c

No. 1 Side BEST GRADE SALT MEAT Lb. 7 1/2c

Pure Cane SUGAR 10 lbs. 44c

Sliced BACON Lb. 10c

Pure Pork Sausage 3 Lbs. 25c

SWIFT'S CREAMERY BUTTER 29c Lb.

SWIFT'S PREMIUM BACON Lb. 22c

OLEO Lb. 7 1/2c

Picnic HAMS Lb. 13 1/2c

FOLGER'S CANOVA MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE Lb. 24c

MRS. TUCKER'S SHORTENING 8 Lb. Crt. 79c

SHAWNEE'S BEST FLOUR 48 Lbs. \$1.59 24 Lbs. 85c

CAL. ORANGES Doz. 15c

WINEAPPLES Doz. 15c

Large Sunkist LEMONS Doz. 15c

Fresh BLACK EYED PEAS Lb. 6c

Fresh ENGLISH PEAS Lb. 4c

WAX or GREEN BEANS Lb. 7 1/2c

Fresh CORN 3 Ears 10c

No. 2 can Hominy Can 5c

N. B. C. RITZ Lge Box 29c

Kraft Miracle Whip Qt. 31c

Cut Green BEANS 3 Cans 20c

N. B. C. Shredded WHEAT Box 9c

Tomatoes No. 2 can 6c

Black Diamond COFFEE Lb. 10c

Mustard Qt. Jar 8c

Matches Box 2 1/2c

CATSUP 10 oz. Bot. 8c

PORK BEANS No. 2 1/2 can 3 for 25c

50 Pound Stand PURE LARD \$3.39

17% Gray SHORTS Cotton Sack BAG \$1.50

TEXAS - RED OATS Bu. 4 Sack \$1.95

TELEPHONE 353

FREE DELIVERY

THE STANDINGS

Southern Association

Teams W. L. Pct.

Nashville 22 9 .710

Memphis 19 12 .613

Atlanta 21 16 .568

Little Rock 16 18 .471

Knoxville 15 18 .455

Birmingham 14 20 .412

Chattanooga 13 19 .406

New Orleans 14 22 .389

Wednesday's Results

Atlanta 16, Birmingham 4.

New Orleans 3, Chattanooga 2.

Knoxville-Memphis, rain.

Nashville-Little Rock, rain.

Games Thursday

Nashville at Little Rock.

Atlanta at Birmingham.

Chattanooga at New Orleans.

Knoxville at Memphis.

National League

Team W. L. Pct.

Cincinnati 18 8 .692

Brooklyn 18 8 .692

New York 15 11 .577

Chicago 16 13 .552

Philadelphia 11 12 .478

St. Louis 10 17 .370

Boston 8 15 .348

Pittsburgh 6 18 .250

Wednesday's Results

New York 6, Cincinnati 4.

Brooklyn 3, Pittsburgh 1.

Chicago at Philadelphia, night.

St. Louis-Boston, rain.

Games Wednesday

Cincinnati at New York.

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.

St. Louis at Boston.

Only games scheduled.

American League

Team W. L. Pct.

Boston 19 8 .704

Cleveland 18 10 .643

Detroit 14 13 .519

Washington 13 14 .481

Philadelphia 12 15 .444

Chicago 12 16 .429

New York 11 16 .407

St. Louis 10 15 .400

Wednesday's Results

New York 8, Detroit 2.

Cleveland 9, Boston 6.

Chicago 10, Philadelphia 1.

Washington 9, St. Louis 2.

Games Thursday

Boston at Cleveland.

New York at Detroit.

Philadelphia at Chicago.

Washington at St. Louis.

A WANT-AD will FIND IT!

KROGER

ACCEPT THIS AMAZING GUARANTEE
BUY any Kroger Item, LIKE is as well as better. OR return unused portion in original container and we will replace it FREE with any other brand we sell of the same item, regardless of price.

CECIL W. DENNIS
Grocery Manager

K. J. CAPLINGER
Market Manager

The CAA Program Causes Trouble

Puts the Department of Commerce on the Spot

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON — The Department of Commerce is on the spot. It was put there by 46 senators, who voted for President Roosevelt's Reorganization Plan No. IV and threw the independent Civil Aeronautics Authority back into the department.

The situation was this: Two years ago, after more than three years of wrangling, investigating and lobbying, the McCarran-Lea bill knocked out the Bureau of Air Commerce (then in the Commerce department) and set up the independent CAA. Although it is not generally known, this really was one of Jimmy Roosevelt's babies when he was secretary to his father.

The CAA was made up of a five-man board, whose duties consisted principally of establishing rules, regulations and standards; an administrator in charge of the physical set-up of the bureau of federal airways safety regulation, private flying and certificate and inspection; and the three-man air safety board, charged independently with investigating all accidents, determining their cause and reporting to the CAA board for action.

On March 29, 1940, less than two years after this new agency started functioning, the commercial airlines established the comparatively amazing record of flying 87,300,000 miles, carrying more than 2,000,000 passengers, without a single fatal accident.

On April 1, while the bouquets still were showering down, the President tossed his little bombshell: Reorganization Plan No. IV, which abolishes the Air Safety board entirely, and puts the CAA back into the law, unless BOTH houses of Congress

valued the plan within 60 days, it was to become effective.

The hullabaloo that this order raised almost knocked the dome off the capitol. The scrap, for weeks, shared editorial honors with the war in Europe.

The house of representatives, where such critical downpours are felt first (especially in election year) hastened to vote on the order and opposed it by the healthy vote of 232 to 153.

The senate, aware of the seriousness of the matter, took two days out to debate it, even after the long hearings in committee.

It was in the heat of these arguments, coupled with the vote that upheld the order, that the Department of Commerce was put on the spot. Dire things have been predicted for aviation. It's charged that the order is a kickback to the days when the infant transportation industry was a political football with human lives at stake. Let one fatal accident occur in commercial aviation after June 11, when the new order becomes effective, and there'll be an investigation from here to Borneo.

What actually was behind the order is another of those capital mysteries that may never be solved. The President said simply that it was to effect economy, more adequate supervision, and eliminate friction that now exists in CAA.

C. B. Allen, former New York newspaperman, and Tom Hardin, ace pilot, will lose their jobs when the safety board is abolished. Sumpter Smith, other member, already had resigned to become director of the national airport. Allen has his own private explanation for the order.

"My mother," says Allen, "always was very proud of me. Everytime I took a step up the ladder or achieving some little success she'd say 'I knew it, son, you are going a long way.' But never in her wildest dreams did she ever think I would reach such heights that the President of the United States would burn a house down just to get me out of it."

Twenty-five pounds of paint are required to cover the liners used on one transcontinental air line.

TO CHECK
MALARIA
IN 7 DAYS
take **666**
LIQUID OR TABLETS

New War Greets Memorial Day

Europe's War is Within Gun-sound of America

By JOHN GROVER

WASHINGTON — Europe's war is within gun-sound of American soil. Those United States cemeteries in France and Flanders where rest 30,000 American war dead.

Already bombs have dropped near these silent American outposts. One, the Meuse-Aargonne cemetery, has been reported struck by bombs. Solemn Memorial Day services in the American cemeteries this year will be punctuated by the long-unfamiliar, but too well-remembered, thunder of great guns in the distance.

Six of the eight American cemeteries in France are on battlefields where Yankee troops rolled back the Hindenburg line in the assaults of June to October, 1918. Those six lie square athwart the line of battle followed in western Europe since Caesar's time.

Ungrudging millions have been spent—\$5,000,000 in all—by the U. S. government to assure perpetual beauty to these quiet cities of the dead. White marble crosses—six-pointed stars of David for the Jewish dead—bloom in ordered rows on the broad acres.

Guarding each American cemetery is a lofty-vaulted chapel. The chapels, all in the classic architectural tradition, were built for the ages—but one bomb could demolish any of them. Designs were chosen only after international competition. They compare favorably with the greatest memorial architecture anywhere.

France Observes Memorial Day

The years of peace since 1918 have been kind to these quiet places. The French peasantry has adopted the American custom of Memorial day. The nearest Sunday to May 30 is regularly celebrated by the villagers who remember the American khaki-clads of 1918.

An American superintendent is in charge of each cemetery, assisted by a corps of native laborers. Thousands of Americans, many of them relatives of the men buried there, have come to the cemeteries each year—but the war will prevent that in 1940.

The American Battle Monuments commission is in charge of maintain-

New York Gets Steamed Up



Covering another assignment on this New York street, the photographer who took the above picture was knocked flat on his face when a blast of steam, mud and gas exploded through the pavement right behind him. He made quick comeback and snapped photo of geyser as it roared 28 stories into the air.

Bruce Catton Says:

By BRUCE CATTON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Chief result of the \$250,000,000 which the navy is to get from the President's emergency preparedness budget will be a vast speeding up of all new constructions. Plans now being shaped in the office of Admiral Harold Stark, chief of naval operations, call for putting all naval construction on a straight 24-hour basis.

This, it is hoped, will cut almost in half the time required to build the eight dreadnaughts now on the books, with smaller speed-ups in all other vessels under construction.

Building under the present one-shift system, it takes a little more than four years to finish a battleship. "Winging over to a 24-hour day won't cut that time to one-third. Some of the precise technical processes can't be hurried, no matter what is done. But a big bite can be taken out of the ordinary schedule."

Getting over to the 24-hour day is apt to mean a fight in Congress first. At present the Walsh-Henley act provides no worker employed in the building of a warship may be employed more than a total of 40 hours in one week. Navy people say there simply aren't available enough skilled workers to furnish all the private and public yards with three complete daily shifts of workers, and a temporary suspension of the law to allow overtime work is being asked. The A. F. of L. and C. I. O. oppose it, saying that the shortage of workers exists, and their spokesmen in both houses are preparing to go into action.

There'll be further fireworks over the navy's wish that the 10 per cent profit limitation now applied to all navy construction contracts be lifted. The navy feels this has caused a good deal of the current construction delay; manufacturers are said to be reluctant to expand their plants for navy orders because in many cases the expanded plant won't be of use for anything except naval production and because they are not allowed to figure the cost of making the expansion into their profit.

Next to the speed-up of construction, the navy has two other important goals to reach with its \$250,000,000.

ing the cemeteries. There has been no fear expressed officially that the cemeteries are in danger. Indeed, there has been every effort to minimize the threat.

But war recks little of sentiment and less of beauty. The German invasion of France and Belgium and its attendant threat to the perpetual quiet of the American graveyards has brought the war home, as nothing else, to the thousands of American families whose sons and brothers lie there.

Flanders Near Battle Zone

Here are the American cemeteries in Europe:

Flanders field—most endangered by the new war—lies between Brussels and Ypres in the heart of Belgium at Wacreghem; 368 American dead lie here.

St. Mihiel—4,152 American soldiers rest here—lies 26 miles from the city of Nancy, recently bombed.

Eurenes—lies on the outskirts of Paris, five miles from the city center; 1,541 Americans who died of wounds in base hospitals are buried here.

Meuse-Aargonne, 18 miles from Verdun, is still more than 100 miles from the battle line. The largest U. S. foreign cemetery, it is the last haven of 12,240 American soldiers.

Oise-Aisne, containing 6,012 American graves, lies 14 miles from Chateau Thierry, outside the present battle zone.

Aisne-Marne—2,288 Americans mostly those who fell at Belleau wood, are buried here. This cemetery, too, is outside the present battle zone.

Scanne—Endangered also by this war, 1,835 Americans who were in units attached to British forces lie here, nine miles from St. Quentin near the present battle zone.

Brookwood—25 miles from London—might be threatened if total war reaches England. 468 Americans, many of them victims of the Tuscan torpedoing, rest here.

Dancers Swing-It Grandma's Way

Old Time Square, Circle, and Contra — Are Back

By TOBY WIANT

AP Feature Service Writer

"Hang up your coat And split on the wall; Choose your partners And promenade all."

Shades of grandma . . . the country dances are coming back! As a matter of fact, the country dances—square, circle and contra—are back in dozens of communities.

In New York City, some hotels have called for professionals to demonstrate many square dance clubs are meeting weekly. In out-lying New York counties, enthusiastic square dance groups include even society folk on Long Island.

In El Paso, Tex., country dance clubs have a total membership of 2,000.

"Run across and don't get lost And give your opposite lady a toss," Arthur Murray, the dance teacher, says the square dance is definitely coming back. He has received numer-

with the dates when they were laid down, are as follows:

North Carolina, Oct. 27, 1937; Washington, June 14, 1938; South Dakota, July 5, 1939; Indiana, Nov. 20, 1939; Massachusetts, July 20, 1939; Alabama, Feb. 1, 1940. In addition, contracts have been let for construction of the Iowa and New Jersey.

Dirigibles May Figure in Picture

Meanwhile, it is quite possible that renewed experiments with big dirigibles are in the offing. Commander Charles E. Rosendahl, famous skipper of the navy's previous dirigibles, is coming to Washington—not, as originally reported, as a mere naval aide to Secretary of the Navy Edison, but as Edison's special adviser.

Existing legislation authorizes the navy to build a dirigible of 3,000,000 cubic feet capacity, which would be a ship somewhat larger than the Los Angeles. No money has been voted for this; however, if the President gets authority to spend \$200,000,000 in emergency funds at his own discretion, he could order that construction at any moment if Secretary Edison should ask for it.

Battleships now under construction.

Early or Late

Being near the sun, the planet Venus must set in the late afternoon or early morning. It cannot set earlier than three hours before the sun nor later than three hours after.

The United States maintains 250 rangers for all forms of wild life.

Murray's demonstrators are square dancing as Grandma and Grandpa would have done it, and also in a streamlined fashion. Dancers seem to go for both versions.

This is all a square dance requires: Plenty of people out for fun, a lively fiddler, or an orchestra, familiar with the right kind of music, and a clever caller.

"Meet that gal and hug her tight; Don't forget your date for Wednesday night."

Country dancing is bringing back to popularity such old tunes as "Turkey in the Straw," "She'll Be Comin' Round the Mountain When She Comes," and "Pop Goes the Weasel." New tunes are being brought out, too.

Of course, square dancing hasn't shoved La Conga out of the picture. La Conga is a product of troubled times, too, Murray says; a form of exhibitionism that helps dancers throw off nervous tension.

When times are quiet, Murray finds,

MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief

Many sufferers relieve nagging backaches quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 quarts a day. When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatism, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up at night, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headache and dizziness. Frequent uric acid attacks with smarting and burning sometimes show there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills—

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

AT YOUR GROCERS and CITY BAKERY

MEALS TASTE BETTER WHEN YOU SERVE BLUE RIBBON BREAD

CALL FOR COTTON

NATIONAL COTTON WEEK

MAY 17-23

Over 10,000 Yards Summer Cottons

ABC SHEERS

Thousands of yards of these beautiful new ABC Sheers for summer. New finishes, developed recently, enhance the texture of these fabrics and assure their lasting beauty. See them in every exciting color and pattern the new season has produced. ABC guaranteed quality assures your satisfaction.

TUXEDO BATISTE	25c
NORMANDY VOIL	29c
SHEERDELITE MUSLIN	29c
ABC DEMITY	29c
GALLANT SWISS	39c
ABC FINE TISSUE	49c
NOVELTY SWISS	49c

ABC PERCALES

ABC 80x80 percales in attractive new patterns. The ideal cloth for making cool wash frocks and play clothes. Colors guaranteed fast. A large selection of styles.

19c

ZEPHYR GINGHAMS

Wm. Anderson's Zephyr Gingham and Zephyr Chambray in attractive new summer styles and patterns. Checks, plaids and solid colors.

49c

We give Eagle Stamps

Geo. W. Robison & Co.

HOPE NASHVILLE

The Leading Department Store

DODGE IS THE BIGGEST VALUE PACKAGE IN TOWN. AND IT'S SO VERY EASY TO OWN!

Before you buy any car see your Dodge Dealer for the "hottest" money-saving news in a long, long time!

NEW-CAR BUYERS, it won't be long now! With Spring spreading the urge to be out on the open road, you'll soon be comparing motorcar values.

Before you decide on any car, compare the big 1940 Luxury Liner, point by point, with the others.

If it's beauty you want, compare Dodge's new windstreamed styling, its gorgeous interiors and appointments.

Size and roominess? Dodge has a full 119½-inch wheelbase, wider seats, big V-shaped windshield, and new straight-type doors.

And let's not forget Economy. Through the years Dodge has always been famous for gas and oil savings, longer life and higher trade-in value.

Do you realize how little this big 1940 Dodge really costs? It's priced so close to the smaller cars that you'll hardly notice the difference as you pay!

1940 Dodge Luxury Liner, 6-Passenger, 2-Door Sedan \$815, delivered in Detroit.*

FOR A SWELL TRADE-IN ALLOWANCE SEE YOUR DODGE DEALER TODAY!

Third & Walnut

B. R. HAMM MOTOR Co.

Your Dodge and Plymouth Dealers

Hope Arkansas

5 New Warships For British Navy

The Most Strongly Protected in the World

By JACK CULMER
AP Feature Service
LONDON—The Royal Navy is commissioning five 35,000-ton battleships for its fight against Germany. Experts say the new men of war are "the most strongly protected battleships in the world."
The new ships were laid down in the first five months of 1937. Called the King George V class, each carries ten 14-inch guns and sixteen 5.25 guns, plus what the British Admiralty calls "enhanced defense against air attack."
In addition to the King George V, the class includes the Prince of Wales, named for the king's elder brother, now Duke of Windsor; the Duke of York, commemorating the title the king used before his accession to the throne; and the Jellicoe and the Beatty, after the World War admirals whom Britain rewarded with earldoms and big grants of money.
Armor 16 Inches Thick
The 14-inch guns of the new ships are a new model, officially stated to have greater effective range than the 15-inch guns of earlier ships, "as measured by the perforation of any given thickness of armor."
"Unofficial," but "authoritative," reports placed armor weight of each of the new ships at 14,000 tons, and water line thickness at 16 inches.
Main armaments are the four-gun turrets, one forward and one aft. Experts say the King George V ships carry "probably three" sea planes. There are no torpedo tubes.
The King George V class is exceeded in size only by the 40,000-ton Lion and Temeraire and two unnamed others of the same class which still are under construction, and by the 42,000-ton battleship Hood, largest warship in the world.
In addition to the 4-gun turret, each ship carries one twin turret of 14-inch guns and many smaller guns, mostly anti-aircraft weapons. Each will carry 1,500 officers and men compared to the 1,361 of the Nelson.
Weight of defensive armor in each ship is 40 per cent of her displacement of 35,000 tons, reportedly a world's record. The speed is more than 30 knots—34 miles per hour—compared with the Nelson's 23 knots.
The battleship Hood, launched in 1918, "has a design speed of 31 knots."
Shells Weigh 1,400 Pounds
The "new model" 14-inch guns fire shells weighing "at least 1,400 pounds and probably more," and have a high rate of fire. They are superior to the 15-inch guns of Britain's older battleships in range and can penetrate thicker armor.
Completion of the King George V class raises Britain's capital ship strength to 19, with at least four more building.
President Roosevelt denies he remembers telling a delegation of Iowans he would not seek a third term. One man's way of clearing up a confusing point.

If War Doesn't Wreck, it Hurts

Stinnatt Recalls the Predicament of Germany

By JACK STINNATT
WASHINGTON—To hint at the collapse of a nation—even if that nation should be one whose acts you don't like—is 99 times out of 100 more wish than thinking.
Nations just don't go bust—poor, like that. Remember only a few short years ago, economists were writing about the sour predicament of Germany. Now she's waging a war, the cost of which would black out the most vivid imaginations.
This is all by way of cautious prelude, because Washington is hearing that Japan is in a bad way. I don't argue that it is not. I just mean that if you are a Japanese sympathizer, don't go committing hari-kari—or if you are anti-Nipponese, don't start holding any joyful wakes.
The facts are pretty simple. The three-year Chinese interlude has been costly. The cost of living has skyrocketed. Wages (except in the munitions industries, which are creating the most amazing class of nouveau-riche you ever heard of) haven't. The foreign trade balance looks good in yen, but the country is painfully short on foreign exchange... and on gold.
Last year, Japan had a drought. It knocked the very watts out of the vital Japanese hydroelectric power system. A coal shortage caused householders to turn their charcoal braziers into central heating plants.
Then came that same blizzardy spring which swept America. Latest reports say it has put the blight of frost on Japan's important crops. Latest government information is that the Japanese silk crop may be affected as much as 80 per cent by this much of it is truth and I can spring freezes.
Give you the figures if you are mathematically minded. For example, the general retail price index is 58.1 per cent above the June, 1937, level. The wage index for March was only up 14.7 per cent in the last year. The munitions industry, which employs a comparatively small percentage of the population, accounted for a lot of that. Spring estimates indicate substantial crops of wheat, barley and rice. There's a general trend toward inflation; a significant decline in the absorption of national bonds; an increase of 50 per cent in the national debt; a much heavier tax burden; a mounting shortage in nearly all commodities; a decline in labor efficiency.
The inability of the government to control prices was admittedly a contributory cause of the fall of the Abe cabinet. Price control is one of the major aims of the present administration.
Your government has received confidential or official confirmation for all of those statements.
There are, other, straws in the wind. Washington hears that the morale of the Japanese at home is at its lowest. There have been grumblings no end over the fuel shortage; over the high prices and low wages; over the wage favoritism shown munition workers; over the thousands and thousands of "little white boxes" of ashes of war dead that keep coming from the war in China; over the endless chain of propaganda lies intended to bolster the spirits of the masses.
One government reporter, a little

DANGER

SERIAL STORY — ROMANCE AHEAD

BY TOM HORNER

CHAPTER VII
MONNIE relaxed under the grip of Larry's fingers. She looked up at him, unbelieving.
"Your brother?"
"Yes."
"But the man was never identified. He was burned so horribly."
"I know it was Hugh," Larry tried to make his voice calm. It wasn't easy, talking to her like this. His hands dropped from her shoulders. "When I didn't hear from Hugh, I came down to look for him. I've been all over the west, searching for him," Larry lied. "I hear about this accident, this unidentified man. I took a chance it might be Hugh. I was right. A dentist's examination confirmed it."
"I'm sorry, Larry, terribly sorry." The touch of her hand on his arm was comforting, her sympathy was sincere. She sat down again, gently pulled him to the swing beside her. "Tell me more about him, Larry."
He rolled a cigarette, tried to keep his eyes from her.
That Monnie knew more about this accident than she was telling, he was sure. But how could he find out without arousing her suspicions. Perhaps she might be involved—No, Monnie would never be mixed up in a crooked deal. But if she loved Bentley... A woman will do almost anything for the man she loves.
What was Bentley's role? Hating Bentley as he did, it was easy for Larry to accuse him of some part in Hugh's death. Bentley was on friendly terms with a bank robber—this Bill was working at the Circle-Cross.
A match flared in the darkness. Monnie's hand was touching his own. Larry liked being near to her. He was tempted to put his arm around her, pull her close, kiss those inviting lips. Monnie's voice brought him back to the present.
"This brother of yours, Larry—"
"Hugh was a swell guy," Larry began. "Married, lived downstate. He was—he was in the insurance business. Burglary insurance. Traveled a lot. But he wrote me regularly, and wrote to Betty, his wife, every day."
"When Betty didn't hear from him for a week, she wired me. I came down and we've been looking for him ever since. That was

The Cost of War Takes Big Money

Germany Spends the Most for National Defence
By MORGAN M. BEATTY
AP Feature Service Writer
WASHINGTON—Take the military defense budgets of the nations of the world from 1933 through 1940, and add 'em together.
Call that the thermometer of the world's ills.
Let 1933 equal normal, and let each 10 billions of dollars worth of armaments equal one degree of temperature.
On that basis we're now running a fever of 108.4 degrees and it's going up every minute.
In 1923, the year Herr Hitler took the helm in Germany, the world's nations confessed to the public they were spending about four billions a year (\$3,962,800,000, to be exact) on defense.
By 1936, the year Hitler started making forts out of castles on the Rhine, the published figures on nations' defenses totaled \$12,976,000,000. We were close to 100 degrees.
This year, now that Hitler has jumped the traces in all directions, the world fever's running riot. The total expenditures will be about 45 billions of dollars—\$44,884,000,000 if you are finicky.
The worst part of this little parable is that the budgeted cost of national defense—that is, the army, navy and other military costs confessed on the ledger sheets or through telltale estimates—is a mere drop in the bucket to what's really being spent for the sole purpose of waging war, or against possibility of war.
If you count in every thing—the pensions, Hitler's military roads that also can be used for scenic highways when not vibrating under blitzkrieg armies, Great Britain's air guard, and a thousand and one other costs in war, excluding the highest cost of all—human lives—you can't find pages wide enough to take the figures.
But you can make up a thermometer, and read the temperature on it.
Europe consistently has been accounting for most of the war expenditures for many a generation. In 1933, the countries of Europe were spending a mere two billions and a half. Today's figure is well over 40 billions of dollars.
Germany is the biggest spender. Unfortunately you can only make estimates there, for the Nazis publish no budget. But economists of various nations more lyrical than the rest, included the phrase that not only in the cities but in the sticks Japan wears the pitiful air of a nation swept by the plague.
I wouldn't know. Whatever the truth, Washington is finding time, between comments on the whirling dervish that's sweeping over Europe, to talk about the Orient.

more than five months ago." He hoped Monnie wouldn't ask why, as a newspaperman, he couldn't have checked accident records sooner. She didn't, was apparently too deeply engrossed in her own thoughts.
"And to think," she said abruptly, "I was the cause of the accident. I killed your brother, Larry."
"Monnie! You don't know what you're saying."
"It's true, Larry. I didn't mean to, but I did. It was my fault. Oh, Larry! I sobbed, shook her body, and Larry's arm went around her, then, to pull her head down on his shoulder. After a few minutes, she stopped crying, dried her eyes and pushed away from him.
"Don't blame me too much, Larry. If I hadn't been driving so fast—"
"It happened up on Dead Man's Curve," she began. "That's on the highway about half-way between here and Mike's. You know where you leave the concrete to turn into the Hayhook. . . . If you went straight on, you'd dip down into the canyon and then climb a long hill to go by Bentley's. The curve is halfway up the hill. It's a sharp turn, but it's well marked and not dangerous unless you try to make it too fast. Going up, you have the inside. The canyon floor is about 300 feet below the curve and it's almost a sheer drop."
Larry could feel her grow tense as she forced herself to go on.
"On the night of the accident, Mike called me. It was late but he said he'd just come back from Chicago, flown down with some friends and they wanted to meet me. He'd brought me some presents, too, and some things I'd asked him to get for me. He couldn't leave his guests, he said, so would I drive right over."
"I was on the way inside of half an hour. I always drive fast and I went up the hill doing about 50 or 60. Then at the curve—"
She paused briefly, got a new grip on her emotions, then went on.
"I must have been about 200 yards from the curve when this car came down the hill. I couldn't stop. The driver apparently made no effort to turn, when he saw my lights. His car crashed through the barricade, plunged over the cliff and rolled down into the canyon."
"I stopped as soon as I could, pulled off the road a little and ran back to where the car had disappeared. Far down in the canyon I could see flames shooting up

CHARLES A. HAYNES CO.

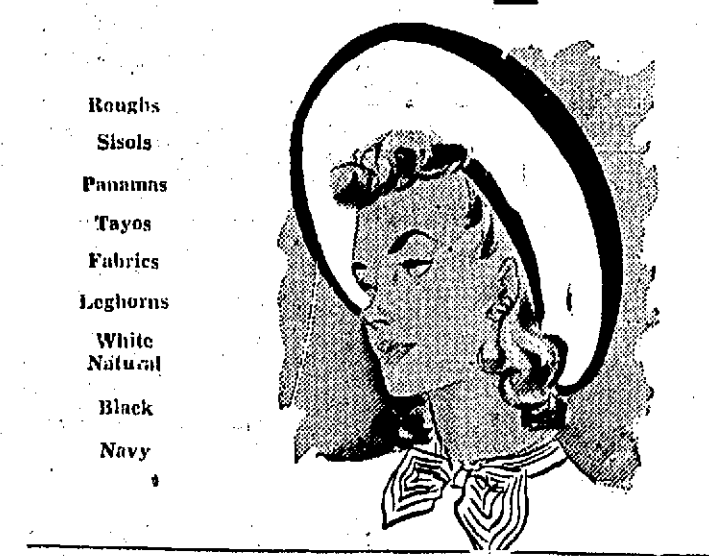
Keep Cool in Our Summer Sheers

TING LING
The new washable "thick and thin material in dashing new prints. Chic models with flare skirts for misses sizes 12 to 20. Youthful models for women 38 to 52.
2.95
SHARKSKIN
A smart fashion for summer wear. A special purchase has enabled us to offer such phenomenal values. One piece dresses with contrasting color buttons. Square and V neck lines. Chic two-piece models with flare skirts and bell boy model blouses. White and pastel shades. Size 12 to 20.
1.99
SHEER MUSLINS
Keep cool in our sheer cotton dresses. Beautiful dotted values, floral muslins, checked and striped percales. Pastel shades as well as navy, black and brown.
98c



JUST ARRIVED
A New Shipment of Beautiful **HANDMADE LINENS**
Madria Pillow Cases **49c**
Three piece Scarf Sets, Madria and Cross Stitch **49c**
Madria Bridge Sets Cloth & Napkins **49c**
Mosaic, Applique and Cross Stich Luncheon Cloth & Napkins **\$1.19**
Applique Luncheon Cloth & Napkins **69c**
Guest Towels, Set of Three **39c**
Mosaic and Cross Stitch Banquet Set **\$1.98**

Buy your new hat at this big savings! Big brims, little brims, Bretons, Flemish halos, they're all here in this exciting sale.
1.59
Your Unrestricted CHOICE! Any 1.95 hat in our entire stock. This Week-end Only
Hatsizes to 24



Economize with HAYNES' THRIFTY MARKDOWNS

regular price	Mark-down price	regular price	Mark-down price
2 Batiste Gowns 98c	49c	1 Extra Size Bloomer 35c	17c
1 Silk Gown \$1.88	88c	2 Broadcloth Slips 19c	10c
1 Silk Crepe Slip \$1.69	69c	2 pair Panties 10c	5c
8 Slips 39c	25c	2 pair Anklets 15c	8c
13 Slips, crepe & satin 98c	49c	1 pair Anklets 10c	5c
2 Satin Slips 49c	25c	1 Bedspread (blue chenille) (ruffle dotted Marquisette) 1.00	39c
1 Gown 49c	25c	2 pr. Curtains 49c	39c

Some of the Merchandise listed above is damaged and soiled.

WARM DAYS DEMAND COOLER FOOTWEAR

Our Sport Styles will give your feet Summer Comfort and Chic Styles. Models for every Member of the Family

Ladies Active & Spectators	Men's Two-Tone or All White	Boys' Two-Tone, Cork Soles
Eighteen of the season's newest styles to select from. Plain Pumps. Lastex Suedes and Ventilated Pig Skin. AAA to D	You may choose them with cork, crepe or leather soles. Ventilated or plain.	Boys' Oxfords. Just like fathers, in style. White with tan saddle and cork soles.
\$1.99 to \$3.99	\$1.99 to \$3.45	\$1.99

Charles A. Haynes Co.

DO YOUR NERVES GET JUMPY

driving when the pavement is wet and slippery? Why take chances... better change over to **U.S. ROYAL MASTER** America's Foremost Quick-Stopping Safety Tire

Thanks to Royal Masters, millions have discovered a new freedom from worry, a new joy in driving! For Royal Master owners know they are protected against blowouts, know they need not fear skids, know they can have new-tire stopping power down to the last mile!

GREATER SKID CONTROL!
Close-up of tread in action shows how Royal Master's hundreds of sharp-edged rubber tread units emerge from the tread the instant brakes are applied, grip the road, stop you quicker!

BLOWOUT PROTECTION!
"Safety-bonded" cords and unique ply-on-ply construction give you a reinforced, flexible carcass of amazing strength! Protects against blowouts due to heat, road shocks, hard driving.

LONGER SAFE MILEAGE!
Deeper non-skid tread of Triple Tempered Rubber, combined with greater flexibility and a faster compound that puts more rubber on the road, insures more safe miles, lower cost-per-mile!

More than half the local buyers of Royal Masters each year have been already driving on Royal Masters!
If you are dissatisfied with conventional tire performance, if you want more safe miles-per-dollar, try a set of Royal Master Tires on your car! And bear this in mind: The dollar you invest in safe mileage may well be the most important dollar you spend this year!

Get the "change-over" facts today! —
Come in and find out how little it will take to put your car on Royal Masters. We'll allow you member, we will allow you more for your old tires than their unused and unsafe mileage is worth to you!

FREE! Expert Advice!
Drive in any time! With-out cost or obligation we'll carefully inspect each tire for hidden cuts, cracks and bruises.

United States Tires are good tires.
"YOUR FORD DEALER"
HOPE AUTO CO.

G. E. Hot Point REFRIGERATORS

Harry W. Shiver
Plumbing — Phone 250

